

**SOLAR REBATE PROGRAM (SC)****AVAILABILITY**

This Program is available to residential and nonresidential customers receiving concurrent service from the Company who install and operate a solar photovoltaic (PV) electric generating system located and used at property owned by the customer. The generating system that is connected in parallel operation with service from the Company must be manufactured, installed and operated in accordance with governmental and industry standards and the system must comply with the requirements of IEEE 1547 while the inverter must be certified to meet the requirements of UL 1741, or its successor. The system must be installed in full compliance with all the Company Interconnection Requirements by a Licensed Installer certified to operate in South Carolina. The alternating current (AC) capacity rating of the generating system shall no greater than 20 kilowatts for residential applicants or 1,000 kW for nonresidential service applicants.

When the Customer's generation system is used in conjunction with a retail electric service, the Customer must contract for service under a net metering rider or a rate schedule which allows for parallel generation. The customer shall install the protective equipment, acceptable to the Company, that will protect the Company's employees, its other customers, and its distribution system. The Company shall have the right to suspend delivery of electricity to the Customer with such generating or converting equipment until the Customer has installed the protective equipment.

Participation under the program is available, at the Company's sole discretion, on a "first-come-first-served" basis for systems installed on and after January 1, 2015. Total participation under the Program shall not exceed an annual capacity of 8,000 kilowatts of generation on the Company's South Carolina system, based upon the AC capacity rating. Once this capacity limit is reached, no new applications will be accepted until the next calendar year. This Program shall be available until the combined capacity installed under distributed energy resource programs equals 2% of the Company's five-year average retail peak demand, but no later December 31, 2020.

**APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**

The customer must complete and submit a Program Application for Service under the Solar Rebate Program prior to installation of the generating system. The Application shall identify the name and business address of the Licensed Installer and designate whether the payment shall be provided to the customer or the Licensed Installer. Within no greater than 90 days of application acceptance, the customer must submit a Certificate of Completion indicating that the installation is complete. The installation shall be subject to inspection and verification at any time, upon request by the Company.

**SOLAR REBATE PAYMENT**

Upon receipt of the Certificate of Completion, the Company will provide to the customer a one-time Solar Rebate Payment based upon the DC nameplate rating of Customer's solar PV electric generating system as shown below.

Residential	\$1.00 per watt of installed generating capacity DC
Nonresidential	\$0.75 per watt of installed generating capacity DC

The Residential Payment option shall apply whenever the installation is installed at a dwelling owned by the Customer receiving electric service under a residential service schedule. The Nonresidential payment shall apply to all other installations.

**ENVIRONMENTAL ATTRIBUTES**

All environmental attributes, including but not limited to "renewable energy certificates" (RECs), "renewable energy credits" or "green tags", associated with the solar PV generation system shall be conveyed to the Company for the life of the installation and the Customer certifies that the environmental attributes have not and will not be remarketed or otherwise resold for any purpose, including another distributed energy resource standard or voluntary purchase of renewable energy certificates in South Carolina or in any other state or country for the Contract Period and any successive contract periods thereto.

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**CONTRACT PERIOD**

The customer agrees to retain and operate the solar PV electric generating system for a minimum of 5 years. If the system is removed or otherwise rendered inoperable prior to the expiration of this period, the Customer shall provide at least sixty (60) days' prior notice of such termination in writing to the Company and shall pay an early termination charge equal to \$16.67 per kilowatt for residential installations or \$12.50 per kilowatt for nonresidential installations based on the DC capacity rating of the generating system multiplied by the number of months remaining in the initial 60 month contract period.

The Company reserves the right to terminate service and request payment of the above termination charge any time upon written notice to the Customer in the event that the Customer violates any of the terms or conditions of this Program, or operates the generating system in a manner which is detrimental to the Company and/or its customers. The Company may also terminate service under this Program and request repayment of the Solar Rebate Payment if the customer intentionally misstates or misrepresents the operating capacity or operating characteristics of the solar PV electric generating system.

**INTERCONNECTION FACILITIES**

The customer shall be responsible for any costs incurred by the Company pursuant to all applicable interconnection procedures. The Company reserves the right to require additional interconnection facilities, furnished, installed, owned and maintained by the Company, at the customer's expense, if the customer's system, despite compliance with the interconnection procedures, causes safety, reliability or power quality problems. These additional facilities will be subject to a monthly charge under the Extra Facilities provisions of the Company's Service Regulations provided, however, that the minimum Extra Facilities charge shall not apply. At the Company's sole discretion, if the additional facilities are deemed to be minor, the Company may require the customer to pay an amount equal to the estimated installed cost of upgrading all facilities in lieu of the monthly charge.

**GENERAL**

The customer shall comply with all applicable standards and requirements for interconnecting generation with electric power systems. The Company agrees to comply with all state registration and reporting requirements associated with environmental attributes while the Customer receives service under this Program.

**RIDER SS  
SHARED SOLAR RIDER (SC)****AVAILABILITY (South Carolina only)**

Available on a limited and voluntary basis, at the Company's option, to customers receiving concurrent service from the Company under a metered residential or nonresidential rate schedule who contract for the purchase of Shared Solar. This Rider is not available for customers served under a net metering rider or purchased power agreement. This Rider is available until December 31, 2028.

In order to receive service under this rider the customer must have a satisfactory payment record.

The maximum number of customers served under this Rider shall be determined by the maximum capacity of Shared Solar installed by the Company for this Rider.

**GENERAL PROVISIONS**

Each eligible customer must make application for the purchase of Shared Solar under the following terms and conditions:

- The customer's application must be accompanied by a \$20.00 application fee.
- The customer's application must state the amount of Shared Solar desired by the customer with a minimum of 1 kW DC of capacity. The maximum kW for which the customer may contract under this Rider shall be determined in such a way that the estimated annual kWh of energy allocated to the customer shall not exceed the estimated annual energy consumed by the customer.
- Customers served under this Rider will continue to receive and pay for energy used under the applicable rate schedule. Following payment of the Initial Subscription Charge, the customer will pay the Monthly Subscription Charge and receive Energy Credits as set forth below on their monthly electric bill. Energy Credits will be calculated on a calendar month basis and be applied to the Customer's bill no later than the second billing month following the end of the month during which the solar energy was produced.
- Energy purchased and/or produced from Shared Solar will displace energy that would have otherwise been produced from traditional generating facilities, and will not be delivered specifically to the individual customer contracting for the service under this Rider.
- This Rider is available to the customer for up to ten (10) years depending on the timing of customer's request and the capacity available from the Shared Solar facilities installed on the Company's system at the time of application. Each participating customer will be notified of the term the subscription. Payments and Credits will cease upon expiration of the term which is specific to each customer.
- If the customer moves and transfers electric service to another location within the Company's South Carolina service territory, the customer will be allowed to continue service under this Rider at the new location; however, if the customer discontinues service under this Rider and elects to participate in the future at the same or another location, the customer must make a new application and service under this Rider would be available based on the available capacity at that time and its associated term.
- All environmental attributes, including but not limited to "renewable energy certificates" (RECs), "renewable energy credits" or "green tags", associated with the solar photovoltaic generation system shall be conveyed to the Company for the life of the installation and Customer certifies that the environmental attributes have not and will not be marketed or otherwise resold for any purpose, including another distributed energy resource standard or voluntary purchase of renewable energy certificates in South Carolina or in any other state or country for the Contract Period and any successive contract periods thereto.

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**RATE**

The Charges and Credits set forth under the Rate below are available as set forth below:

Initial Subscription Charge	\$100.00 per kW DC of Shared Solar capacity for which the customer contracts
Monthly Subscription Charge	\$6.00 per kW DC per month of Shared Solar capacity for which the customer contracts
Energy Credit	6.04 cents per kWh per month based on the customer's prorata share of the capacity of the capacity of the Shared Solar facility contracted for by the customer.

For any bill month during which the bill under this rider is a net credit, any Energy Credits shall carry forward to the following month's bill. Effective March 1 of each year, any accrued credit will be reset to zero. Credits paid under this Rider will not reduce the customer's total bill below the Basic Facilities Charge of the applicable rate schedule for service supplied to the customer.

**PAYMENT**

Bills under this Rider are due and payable on the date of the bill at the office of the Company in the same manner as the customer's monthly bill for electric service. If any bill is not so paid, the Company has the right to terminate the customer's electric service.

**CONTRACT PERIOD**

The Company offers a contract for customers under this Rider for a term of up to ten (10) years; however, the Customer may discontinue service after the first year by giving at least thirty (30) days prior written notice of such termination.